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Upper and Lower Sweetheart Lakes Closed to Mountain Goat Hunting in Unit 1C

(Juneau) – Biologists with the Alaska Department of Fish & Game in Douglas announce an early closure to the mountain goat hunting season under the state registration permit hunt RG013, for the portion of Unit 1C drainages that feed into the Upper and Lower Sweetheart Lake. The Upper and Lower Sweetheart Lake drainages are found between the lower Whiting River and Tracy Arm.

This portion of Unit 1C at Sweetheart Lake has easy access and a small number of goats that can support the harvest of 1-2 goat points or 1 animal. As of October 19, 2021 a goat was harvested in this area. Thus, the area is being closed by Emergency Order effective at 11:59 pm, Wednesday, October 20, 2021.

An Emergency Order (01-18-21) was issued that closes the mountain goat season in this area on Wednesday, October 20, 2021 @ 11:59 pm.

The remaining area of registration mountain goat hunt RG013, and all other mountain goat hunting regulations in Unit 1C remain unchanged and are not affected by this Emergency Order.

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